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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Bankers' Association in convention at New Orleans adjourned after electing officers. —— The American Federation of Labor, with about four hundred delegates, met yesterday in New Orleans. —— English cotton spinners will spend a large sum of money on the promotion of cotton growing in Jamiaca on an extensive scale. —— John Davis, negro, charged with murdering a farmer, was hanged in the court house yard at Lewisburg, Tenn., by a mob of 500 men. —— The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces an increase of wages of employes. —— Fire at Olyphant, near Scranton, Pa., caused loss estimated at over $175,000. —— Mrs. Helen Castello attempted to commit suicide by drowning at Niagara Falls, but was rescued while she was floating down stream near the falls. —— President Roosevelt reached his hunting camp near Smedes, Miss., yesterday evening. —— Col. Henry D. Beall, a Confederate veteran, of the editorial staff of the Baltimore *Sun*, died yesterday. —— John Southern was shot and killed by H. B. McCullough, of Rogersville, Tenn. —— Re-interment of the remains of Gen. Nathaniel Green, of Revolutionary fame, will occur to-day at Savannah, Ga. —— Schooner S. B. Marts was wrecked on Hatteras shoals Nov. 3d; the crew were rescued and landed at Savannah, Ga., by the schooner Arthur McArdle. —— Admiral Dewey will command the fleet engaged in the Caribbean sea manoeuvres. New York markets.—Money on call was firm at 4½@5 per cent.; cotton quiet at 9.30c; flour quiet and firmer; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 77c.; corn—spot firm, No. 2 65c.; oats—spot quiet, No. 2 34½c.; rosin firm; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 13.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 53 degrees; 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 79 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 67 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.41.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—For North Carolina: Fair Friday and Saturday; light variable rains.

Port Almanac---November 14.

Sun Rises	6.35 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.53 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 14 M.
High Water at Southport	6.20 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	8.50 A. M.

The "Uncle Joe" Cannon boom for the Speakership is getting pretty loud at West.

The output of the Pennsylvania anthracite mines is reported at 200,000 tons a day, which is 70,000 tons short of the normal output at this season.

It may not be altogether well for Minister Wu to carry back with him to China the interrogative habit he acquired while in this conntry.

A noted Washington physician says vertigo is the result of "the consciousness of the oscultation of the act of orientation." We thought it was something like that.

It was bad enough that Utah should have gone Republican, but it is awful when a man named Smoot will perch in the U. S. Senate in place of the gay and festive Rawlins.

President Roosevelt believes in keeping solid with the newspaper boys, the fellows who run the pencils. He has had a room provided expressly for them adjoining his own office in the new building near the White House.

A immense range of iron ore is said to have been discovered in Indiana, estimated to be worth $100,000,000. It has not yet been claimed that this one of the results of the Republican victory at the late election.

Men at work in the tunnel under the Hudson river between Jersey City and New York can hear the paddles of the steamers passing over the tunnel although there are thirty-one feet of water and twenty-seven feet of earth above them.

Senator Dubois says it was the irrigation bill that gave Idaho to the Republicans. This is the first time that an election in that State has been won with water. Generally something more stimulating and exhilarating has been used.

That Kansas girl who is said to have been left a fortune of a million dollars by an old fellow whom she befriended some years ago has not permitted herself to become unduly excited and says she will wait until she gets some definite information before she decides on what she will do with the $1,000,000.

THE EDUCATIONAL RALLY.

Important Addresses Heard By School Superintendents in Raleigh—State Board of Pharmacy.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 13.—The principal features of the State Conference of County Superintendents of Public Schools to-day were addresses by Dr. Wallace Buttrick, Secretary of the General Education Board, New York, giving the origin and plans of the board, and by Prof. P. P. Claxton, Secretary of the Southern Educational Board, Knoxville, on the crying need for consolidation of school districts in North Carolina.

Dr. Buttrick said that during the next two years the Educational Board will spend $40,000 in campaign work, notably in getting together conferences of county superintendents in all Southern States similar to the one here, to ascertain the exact conditions so they may know how best to apportion any funds in the future. He said that at least for several years all money would be distributed through the State boards to the public schools; that no effort is being made to aid any private or denominational schools.

Following the addresses blanks containing 160 questions regarding school houses, teachers' public sentiment on consolidation, etc., were distributed among the county superintendents, they being allowed one hour to fill them out. These examinations will be compiled at the general office in New York.

This afternoon there were discussions on "Township Teachers Meetings." "How to Conduct Them, What to get out of them;" "County Teachers Associations, Teachers, Libraries and Courses of Study"; "Employment of Teachers and the Government of Schools."

Ninety-two out of 97 superintendents are in attendance upon the conference, which closes to-morrow night with a big rally.

Prof. Washington Catlett, of Wilmington, will speak to-morrow morning on "County Teachers' Associations, Libraries and Courses of Study."

The State Board of Pharmacy announces sixteen successful candidates for license to practice in North Carolina, two being negroes of Raleigh. Those of interest in East Carolina are Adolph G. Ahrens, Wilmington; Addie H. Boyette, Smithfield; Percy O. Leggett, Edenton; Alonzo L. Mansfield, Fayetteville; Wm. M. Perry, Elizabeth City; Walter L. Richardson, Rockingham.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The directors of the Y. M. C. A. will meet to-night to consider important Association matters.

— Florence has a voting contest for "Queen of the Carnival" that bids fair to eclipse that recently held here. The conditions to voting are the same and the first day 203 ballots were cast.

— Mrs. Samuel Jennings Springer gave a delightful reception at her home Wednesday evening in compliment to her sister, Miss Rosa Short, of Washington, N. C., who has been her guest for several days.

— The firm of O. C. Norment & Co., the oldest mercantile establishment in Lumberton, has been dissolved. Mr. B. Godwin retires and the business will be conducted by O. C. & T. A. Norment.

— Southport *Standard*: "At a meeting of the Board of Education last week Geo. H. Bellamy, A. C. Meares and Peter Rourk resigned. P. S. Hawes, Forney Gore and G. B. Ward were appointed in their places."

— By deeds filed for record yesterday Wm. Turley transferred to John E. Silva, for $132.75, three tracts of land in Federal Point township, and Sam'l Bear, Sr., and wife transferred to R. H. Jacobi, for $25, a tract of land containing five acres at Rock Hill, Cape Fear township.

Wilmington Convict Escaped.

A special from North Wilkesboro to the Winston *Journal* says: "Wm. Bell, colored, a convict at work on the new pike, made his escape Saturday evening from the guard. He was serving a ten-year sentence for burglary committed in Wilmington. He was at work with the blasting gang and it was thought that he made his escape while being ordered out for a blast. Nothing has been heard from him since his escape."

They Liked the Carnival.

All county exchanges this week in giving names of persons who attended the Wilmington Pythian Carnival, speak in glowing terms of the fair and the hospitality of our people. There is not a discordant note in the whole requiem of praise to the Carnival management. The people liked the shows and the visit. They were impressed with the city and the papers are saying many nice things about the way it entertained on this festive occasion.

Water Extension Completed.

Maj. W. F. Robertson, the contractor, has completed the extension of the water main from Sixth and Church to Sixth and Castle streets. A new hydrant has been installed and the water turned on. The work is satisfactory in every respect, and its completion is hailed with especial delight by the firemen at Sixth Street Engine House. It is also an added protection from fire to property in all that vicinity.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. W. Sanders—Peaches and cream.
Academy of Music—Barlow and Wilson's minstrels.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Welsbach lights.

MUSICAL TRIUMPH.

Appearance of New York Mozart Symphony Club Here on Last Evening,

AT Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM.

Every Number a Gem, Classical and Catchy—Large and Fashionable Audience Present—Descriptive Fantasie in Great Favor.

The Mozart Symphony Club, of New York, delighted a large and fashionable audience in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium last evening as the third entertainment in the Star Course.

Many of the patrons were in evening dress, thus adding largely to the social side of the event. The concert by the Mozarts was regarded by competent musical critics as having been one of the very finest ever given here.

Especially in great favor with the audience, of eleven well selected numbers on the programme, was the Descriptive Fantasie, "In the Clock Store," a new composition by Stoelzer.

"The apprentice opens the store in the morning and winds up the different clocks, the ticking of which is illustrated by the music, which gradually develops into a musical imitation of a clock store. The cukoo clock strikes the hour, after which the deep sound of another clock is heard. The alarm clock then brings a merry rattle, followed by the striking of another clock in harmony with the music. The apprentice then whistles a little tune. After this, the clock that contains the chimes gradually runs down and stops. The boy winds it up again, and then the miniature chimes of a Scotch cathedral are heard in the distance. The neighboring clock strikes the hour, and a caro follows. Now that all the clocks are in running order, the apprentice looks after the other work, but is interrupted by a sleighing party passing the window, and he then leaves the clock store."

The programme as rendered was as follows, several of the numbers having been warmly encored:

PART FIRST.

1. Overture, "Rasamunda," (Schubert) Mozart Symphony Club.
2. Viola d'Amour Solo, "Virginia's Last Slumber," (Massenet), Mr. Richard Stoelzer.
3. Violin Solo, "Hungarian Rapsody" (Sarasate), Miss Marie Stori.
4. Cornet Solo, "Fantastie (Singvogelchen)" (Moch), Herr Theo. Hoch.
5. Da Camba Solo, (Gavote), Cello Solo, (Servais), Mr. Blodeck."
6. Soprano Solo, "Il Bacio," (Arditti), Miss Marie Stori.

PART SECOND.

7. Quartette, (a) Intermezzo, (Nails), (b) Ronde d'Armour, (Westerhout), Mozart Symphony Club.
8. Alpine Echo Horn, "Tyrolese Romance," (Hoch), With Zither Accompaniment, Mr. Theo. Koch and Mr. M. Blodeck.
9. Song, Hymn of Old," with violin obligato, (Johnson), played and sung by Miss Mari Stori.
10. Descriptive Fantansie. "In the Clock Store," (new), (Stoelzer)
11. Herold's Trumpet, A reminiscence from "Aida," (Verdi), Herr Theo. Hoch.

An Alarming Situation.

The family of Mr. Taylor, who lives on Queen between Sixth and Seventh streets, had a narrow escape from burning to death about 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Some clothing which had been left on a chair too near a stove in the sitting room when the family retired for the night, caught fire and burned rapidly. The house so filled with smoke that a member of the family awoke just in time to save the house from destruction. It was an exceedingly close call. The flames were put out without the aid of the fire department.

Prominent Robesonian Dead.

Rev. A. R. Pittman, the oldest minister in Robeson county and a devout, good man, died last Sunday morning at his home near Rennert, N. C. He was buried Monday at Ashpole, near which place he was born. From the organization of the Robeson Baptist Association he has been moderator, while the late Mr. Proctor was, during the same period, clerk. The two worked many years together, and in death were not long separated.

Fine Sport at Wrightsville.

The Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co., is now building platforms on each side of the Banks Channel trestle at Wrightsville for the accommodation of fishermen. It will be a great improvement and will remove all possible danger from passing cars. The sport in the sound waters during the past several days has been exceptionally fine and large numbers of anglers have flocked to Wrightsville to get the benefit of it.

Change in Suburban Schedule.

Until further notice the suburban cars for Ocean View leaving Wilmington at 1 P. M. and 3 P. M. will leave Ocean View on the return trip at 2:15 P. M. and 4:15 P. M. This will give passengers on these cars, returning on same trip, 30 minutes at Ocean View and one hour at Wrightsville.

Steamboat Inspectors Here.

Capts. F. B. Rice and John T. Borden, of Charleston, S. C., United States Steamboat Inspectors, arrived yesterday from an official trip to Newbern. In the afternoon they inspected the pleasure yact *R. C. Cantwell*, which has just been completed.

A TROLLEY CAR COLLISION.

Ice Cart Got On the Track and Two Negroes Were Pitched Headlong—Neither Seriously Injured.

The collison of an ice cart of the Independent Ice Co, and a wood car of the street railway system very nearly cost two negroes their lives at Front and Dock streets yesterday afternoon. One of the negroes, Joe Hurst, eleven years old, was pitched headlong to the pavement and was so badly bruised that he had to be sent to the hospital, and the other, Ernest Gillam, twenty-two years old, was thrown some distance but was uninjured. The cart was demolished almost completely and 1,300 pounds of ice in blocks was dashed to the cobble stones and shattered all to pieces. The horse attached to the vehicle, although dragged along the street a short distance, was unhurt.

The wood car had been brought in from the suburban line and at the Princess street junction it was transferred to the Front street line, the trolley car propelling the same being behind. The wood was being taken to the power station on Orange street. A flagman was on the front of the wood car and the cart was hauling ice from the factory at Sixth and Brunswick to the distributing depot on Dock street. In some unaccountable way the cart got on the track ahead of the car and before the flagman took in the situation the two vehicles came together with a crash. The result has already been stated. The flagman on the wood car was uninjured.

The young negro sent to the hospital was found to be not seriously injured and was later sent to his home.

SAD DEATH IN FAYETTEVILLE.

Mrs. Edward J. Hale Passed Away Wednesday Afternoon—Funeral To-Day.

Mrs. Edward J. Hale, wife of Maj. E. J. Hale, editor of the Fayetteville *Observer*, and a lady of many rare accomplishments and traits of beautiful Christian character, passed away at the family home in Fayetteville Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. She was a daughter of the late Col. Thomas Hill, of New Hanover and Chatham counties, and came of distinguished ancestry. She was a lineal descendant of Sir John Yeamans, first Governor of North Carolina. The news of her death brought intense sorrow to the hearts of many Wilmington friends and acquaintances.

She leaves, besides her husband, four sons—Edward J. Hale, Jr., Louis B. Hale, Frederick T. Hale and Thomas H. Hale—and two sisters, Mrs. Caldwell C. Swayze, now of New Orleans, and Mrs. G. W. Kidder, of Wilmington.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Hale will be conducted this morning at 11 o'clock from St. John's Episcopal church, Fayetteville, of which the deceased was a regular communicant. The services will be by the rector, Rev. Isaac W. Hughes, assisted by Rev. J. S. Moody.

BARLOW & WILSON'S MINSTRELS.

Royal Entertainers That Will Be Seen at the Academy Next Tuesday Night.

Barlow and Wilson's Greater New York Minstrels will be at the Academy next Tuesday night, giving a splendid production of up-to-date minstrelsy. The company is said to be a most excellent one and can boast of many fine press notices. One of the features is a gorgeous daily street parade. By special arrangement the price of reserved seats here will only be 75 cents, which will, no doubt, insure a large audience. The sale of seats will commence at Plummer's Monday morning. Of the company the New Bern *Journal* says:

"The Barlow & Wilson Minstrels at the Opera house last evening was an entertainment that was thoroughly enjoyed. It was clean and the acts were all very clever; especially so was Harry Reynolds who did a most wonderful act in the operation of "bones." The dancing was good and the orchestra excellent."

LOCAL MARKETS AND SHIPPING.

Norwegian Barque Cleared With Rosin for Rotterdam, Holland.

The local spirits of turpentine market was firm yesterday at 49 cents bid.

Norwegian barque *Hutitu* was cleared yesterday by Heide & Co., with a cargo of 6,325 barrels of rosin, consigned by Murchison & Co., to parties in Rotterdam, Holland.

Southport *Standard*: "The *Ranger*, *Hathway*, *Hudson*, *Humphrey* and *Walter Adams* have arrived, and the *Quickstep* and *Arizona* are expected this morning, which will make a fleet of seven steamers for the Cape Fear Fisheries Co., for the season here."

Compliments Its Chairman.

In speaking of the splendid Democratic victory in Pender last week, the Pender *Chronicle*, of Burgaw, says: "This excellent showing of Pender county is due to the energy and enthusiasm of our county chairman, Mr. J. T. Bland. Although Mr. Bland had no fear that Pender county would not give a Democratic majority, yet he did not rest content with this, but exerted himself to make this majority as large as possible."

Leased Hotel Townsend.

Mr. John Garrason, a Fayetteville man, now head of the Garrason Grocery Company, of Red Springs, has leased the Hotel Townsend at that place, and will take charge of the house on the 1st of December. There are now many guests in the hotel, several being Northern sportsmen.

OPEN TO THE WORLD.

Long Distance Lines of Bell Telephone Company Now Ready for Business.

A FEW OF THE RATES.

"Talk Is Cheap," But Not Over Thousands of Miles of Wire—Other Extensions to Be Made Soon—Underground System of Wires.

The long distance lines of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company will be thrown open to the public for commercial purposes, from pay stations, this morning at 7 o'clock.

Manager T. S. McManus, of the local exchange of the company, made that official announcement last night and if you have "the price," it will be as easy to talk to New York, Chicago, New Orleans, and many other points, as it will be to carry on a conversation with a friend across your business counter or in your home. The rates are necessarily high to far away points but the service is guaranteed and the company can't afford to encircle the globe with copper wire for a song.

For the present, conversation can be had only from the pay stations and in the exchange. The pay stations are now located at the Chamber of Commerce, Orton, Bonitz, Bunting's Pharmacy and J. W. H. Fuch's shoe store, South Front street. Until the booths, which will enclose the stations, arrive, secrecy of conversation has been provided for only at the Chamber of Commerce and in the telephone exchange. The booths, which will ensure absolute secrecy from all stations, were shipped from Peru, Indiana, on the 7th inst. and should arrive in about ten days.

The conversations over the wire, conducted with various cities for experimental purposes during the past few days, have been entirely satisfactory. Yesterday the STAR had a pleasant "call" from its friend in Raleigh, Mr. Willie G. Briggs, editor of the *Times*, and other persons have carried on conversations with friends in other cities with as much ease and convenience as could be desired by the most exacting.

The line would have been put in use several days ago but for some slight trouble between Wilmington and Goldsboro, which was remedied yesterday. The long distance switch-board for the present is in charge of Miss King, of Atlanta, and Miss Query, an expert of Charlotte, is in the city to give instruction to others.

The merits of the long distance connection have been referred to in these columns frequently. The company makes appointments for patrons in any city and in a majority of cases there is no charge for messenger service.

A few of the rates to the most important cities in the United States were given to the STAR last night by Manager McManus. The rate is for a three-minute actual conversation, with about one-third added for each additional minute consumed. The night rate after 6 P. M. is in most cases from one-third to one-half the day rate. A few of the charges are as follows:

New York, $3.50; Philadelphia, $3; Baltimore, $2.50; Washington, $2; Chicago, $5.50; New Orleans, $5.50; Richmond, $1.50; Norfolk, $1.25; Petersburg, $1.25; Lynchburg, $1.50; Atlanta, $2.50; Savannah, $2.25; Augusta, $1.75; Macon, $2.50; Mobile $4.50; Montgomery, $3.50; Birmingham, $3.50; Jacksonville, $2.75; St. Augustine, $2.75; Fernandina, $2.50; Charleston, $1.75; Columbia, $1.50; Florence, $1.00; Sumter, $1.25; Rock Hill, $1.50; Bennettsville, .90; Darlington, $1.00; Chester, $1.50; Spartanburg, $1.75; Greenville, $1.75; Charlotte, $1.50; Asheville, $2.00; Gastonia, $1.50; Salisbury, $1.50; Statesville, $1.75; Greensboro, $1.00; High Point, $1.00; Hendersonville, $2.00; Hillsboro, $1.00; Chapel Hill, $1.00; Wake Forest, .90; Davidson, $1.50; Durham, .90; Raleigh, .75; Goldsboro, .50; Hope Mills, .75; Winston, .90; Wilson, 60.

On the local line between Wilmington and Goldsboro the following rates apply for three-minutes conversation with about one-third added for each additional minute of conversation: Goldsboro, .75; Mount Olive, .45; Faison, .40; Warsaw, .40; Magnolia, .35; Wallace, 25; Burgaw, .20; Rocky Point, 15.

In a few days the Southport line will be added. Mr. E. A. Perry, manager of that exchange, has been confined to his home by illness for several days, or the line would be in operation now. In about two weeks the Columbus Company will connect with the Bell wires at Navassa, giving a valuable connection to Chadbourn, Whiteville, Lake Waccamaw, Council's Station, Clarkton, Keith, Shallotte and other points. It is thought that at no distant date traffic arrangements will also be made with the network of lines centering at Lumberton.

For the Southport connection Manager McManus will put a force of men to work to-day laying new and larger cables across the river at Hilton and at Navassa.

Private parties are also reported to be building a line to include Clinton and Kenansville and connecting with the Bell service at Magnolia or Warsaw.

A force of workmen under Mr. Jno. M. Fogle will arrive from Charleston to day or to-morrow to begin work on the underground system of wires for the Bell Company in Wilmington.

— Mr. J. W. S. Robinson, of Delta, Sampson county, is in the city on one of his usual business trips.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Geo. Bryant, of Long Creek, Pender county, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

— Mr. George T. Hanes, District Supervisor of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, is in the city for a few days on official business.

— Col. Thos. Evans and Geo. Rountree, Esq., left yesterday for Richmond on business connected with the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

— Mr. Milton Johnson, of the Edward Thompson Publishing Co., is in the city interesting local attorneys in the American and English Encyclopædia of Law.

— Mr. J. M. Coleman, who recently came to Wilmington because of the sad death of his young wife, returned to Appalacholia, Fla., yesterday. Mr. Coleman will wind up his affairs in Florida and return to Wilmington to live.

OBSTRUCTING TELEPHONE WIRES.

Thought Lines Were Maliciously Tied Together Near Rocky Point.

The Pender *Chronicle* of this week says:

The long distance telephone lines have now been opened to serve the public. The management of the lines have experienced considerable difficulty in getting satisfactory local connection. This was believed to be due to some obstruction on the wires, and an inspector was sent over the lines to find and remove the obstruction. This was found near Rocky Point and Ashton, in the four wires binding several lines together. The wires were found tied together in two separate places, one of these being a short distance below Ashton, and the other a few hundred yards below Rocky Point.

It is thought that the wires were obstructed by some person with malicious intent. The Telephone Company will make an effort to disclose the guilty parties, and if it succeeds in so doing, it will prosecute to the full extent of the law.

OUR TOBACCO WAREHOUSE.

Mr. Gaylord Talks Interestingly to the Editor of Southport Standard.

(*Southport Standard, 13th.*)

Mr. Geo. O. Gaylord, who is one of the enterprising spirits behind the Wilmington tobacco warehouse proposition, talked with us on Saturday last. He says that during the Carnival in Wilmington Mr. James Dodd, who was here a few weeks ago, and to whom Mr. Gaylord desired to tack the handle of "Professor," has been very busy in that city in meeting farmers of the Wilmington vicinity and explaining to them the growth and curing of the tobacco plant. He says that Mr. Dodd spent the week there in that business, and that about 500 farmers were seen by him who will plant tobacco this year.

We were informed by Mr. Gaylord, also, that a charter had been applied for by the tobacco warehouse company, and that a warehouse on a very large scale would be built at Wilmington, which he thinks will be in the center of what will become a tobacco growing section.

Southport Presbyterian Church.

Southport *Standard*: "We were informed yesterday that the contract for the lumber for the new Presbyterian church had been let, and that within a month the work would begin on the edifice. The lot on which the church is to be built is the one given several years ago by the Board of Aldermen in Franklin Square for that purpose."

Not Yet in Effect.

Contrary to the supposition of many the city ordinance taxing slot machines $10 each per month is not yet in effect. The ordinance was unanimously passed by the Board of Aldermen Monday night, but it will not go into effect until ratified by the Board of Audit and Finance, which meets next Tuesday night.

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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One Night, Tuesday, Nov. 18.
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Minstrels.
35 People. 35 10 Big Acts. 10.
Funny Comedian. Talent Soloists. Superb Band and Orchestra. Parade daily.
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PEACHES AND CREAM,
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Florida Oranges, Ben Davis Apples, Choice Malaga Grapes, Bananas.
Fresh Cakes and Crackers, Cheese Sandwich canned Soups, assorted; big Prunes, new Currants, Horse Radish, Oysterettes.
Come and say "Zu Zu."
Mrs. Kidd's Pin Money Pickles, Ginger Preserves.
S. W. Sanders.
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We carry the largest line of Ladies' Hats in the city, prices from 19c to $35.00 each. Misses' Reefer Jackets 65c, 75c, 90c, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double the price. Children's long Cloaks, sizes 4 to 14 years, $1.25 to $4.50. Ladies' Cloaks $3.75, worth $6.00, and $10.25 worth $18.00, all shades. Capes 40c to $8.50.

Ladies' Mercerize Waist	98c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	60c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	$1.00, worth 1.50
Ladies' Broadcloth Waist	$1.25, 1.87, 2.18
Ladies' Silk Waist	77c, $2.38, 3.95

Fascinators (Beeded) 19c, worth 25c. Fur Neck Scarfs, 6 tails, full length 63c, worth $1.50; better at 98c, $1.48, 2.50, worth double. All kinds Hosiery, Notions, Novelties.
If you fail to call you miss it all.
M. BRADDY, Prop.
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C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.
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"The Milk In the Cocoanut."

The surplus and profits of the Atlantic National Bank.	Feb. 10, 1902, were	$120,713 95
	Nov. 10, 1902, were	160,015 82
	Increase	39,301 87
Paid in dividends to stockholders since Feb. 10, 1902,		11,250 00
Actual profit for nine months		$50,551 87
The deposits in the Atlantic National Bank	Feb. 10, 1902, were	$1,285,066 46
	Nov. 10, 1902, were	1,447,381 92
Increase in deposits for nine months		$ 162,315 46

These figures represent the history of a modern and liberal bank for nine months.
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WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING November 14.

URGING CO-OPERATION.

Yesterday we published an article on co-operation as a town-builder and money-maker, but it is good not only for the town, to build up the industries of the town, but good for the country, to build up the industries of the farmer. This is getting to be an age of co-operation, which is simply concentration of effort and concert of action.

Eastern North Carolina is becoming a tobacco-growing section. Tobacco is to some extent taking the place of cotton, because it is proving a more profitable crop. How long it may continue so will depend largely upon the methods pursued by the farmers, whether they pursue the industry intelligently and systematically, or blindly, planting regardless of the law of supply and demand and and taking their chances on losing money, as many have lost money, and as the cotton-planters have so frequently done. To guard against this Mr. C. L. Joyner, who is both a tobacco-grower and warehouseman, of Greenville, publishes an interesting article in the *Reflector* warning the planters against overproduction and urging co-operation and organization as one of the methods to avoid this. After expressing the opinion that the tobacco growers are in no great danger from the Tobacco Trust, which he does not think is disposed to cut prices of the leaf low enough to deprive the grower of fair profit, he says the greatest danger is that the farmers, stimulated by the recent good prices, will plant too much, overstock the market and run prices down themselves. To guard against this, speaking as a grower and warehouseman, he thus urges organization upon his fellow farmers who grow tobacco:

The first thing in my opinion that should be done is to at once thoroughly and systematically organize all the farmers of the principal bright tobacco producing States. Every township or precinct should organize and meet at least once a month, the county organization once a quarter, and the State association once a year, and oftener if necessary. Let there be live, active, energetic committees appointed from every section of the State, whose duty it should be to look carefully after and report every matter of importance that affects the tobacco grower. There should be a sufficient amount assessed each member to defray all necessary expenses and pay the head of the association a salary large enough to justify him in giving his time and attention to this work, without which no representative association of man can ever be held together. Let there be a secret feature connected with the association, just enough to lend attraction, and successfully handle the business end of a proposition in which so many members are concerned. The American Tobacco Company or any other successfully managed corporation does not take the public into its confidence. Why should the farmers, which should be the largest of all corporations. I firmly believe that if the farmers of North Carolina this year had been as successfully organized as was the farmers' alliance just prior to the getting into that organization of designing politicians, thousands, nay, hundreds of thousands of dollars would have been saved on this crop that is now nearly marketed.

In a letter to me a few years ago, when the supply of tobacco far exceeded the demand and the average price of bright tobacco in North Carolina was only about six cents a pound, Mr. J. B. Cobb asked the question, why it was that the tobacco farmers did not have some kind of an organization among themselves whereby the acreage of the crop along with other questions of vital concern to them could be discussed and handled as business should be. Now here is a man standing almost on the top of the ladder of the American Tobacco Company asking the question. Why don't the farmer do something himself to better his condition and protect his interest?

Successful and complete organization, with active, energetic, practical men in charge will solve the question of the tobacco grower, give him more satisfactory prices for his crop, and a clearer, better, more intelligent and thorough understanding of his relation to the buyer.

Good advice if it be practicable and acted upon as contemplated. Organization among the cotton planters, with a view to better methods and more judicious planting has been urged and discussed for years, but so far with little result. Organization among the tobacco growers may be more practicable because there are fewer of them and they cover less territory, but we have our doubts whether a general organization among them could be effected. It is, however, worth trying, worth discussing and worth urging. Even a partial organization might be productive of good in an educational way if no other.

But there is one way by which the tobacco growers can help themselves, whether there be any such organization as Mr. Joyner urges or not. It is co-operation in another way. To make their tobacco markets permanent and reliable, putting them beyond the influences of speculation and outside demand, there should be a home demand, upon which the farmer could rely regardless of the demand from the outside, which will always be governed more or less by the bulk of the crop in sight. The way to ensure this home demand is to establish manufactories and make market towns in the tobacco growing sections not only tobacco buying but tobacco manufacturing towns. That is what has made Danville, Va., and Winston, in this State, the tobacco centers they have become. The planter knows when he takes his tobacco to those markets that he can always depend on getting the highest market price for it, because there is a sure demand for it. This doesn't mean that the planter will always get a high price for his leaf but it does mean that he can always depend upon getting the highest market price, for the manufacturers, when they are not in a combine, compete with each other and thus keep prices up.

The manufacturers get rich out of the leaf they buy from the planter, while the planter fares very well if he is reasonably paid for his labor and the chances he takes on his crop. The manufacturer makes money, just as the cotton manufacturer makes money by spinning and weaving the cotton that brings the planter very little if any profit.

Why couldn't the tobacco growers by co-operation establish manufactories in their market towns, and thus not only ensure a permanent home market, but also get the profit which the manufacturers make, and thus get all there is in the crop? Before the war there were tobacco manufactories in every little town in the tobacco-growing sections, and many on the larger plantations; but since then, on account of the internal revenue system and for other reasons, the industry has been centered in a few towns.

The establishment of factories by co-operation of the town people and tobacco growers is practicable, starting in a small way and increasing with time and experience, and thus the tobacco towns be made not only permanent markets for the tobacco growers, but be instrumental in bringing three times as much money into their respective sections as the leaf does, while at the same time building up the towns and adding to their wealth and importance.

PRACTICAL INSTRUCTION.

The Agricultural and Mechanical College, at Raleigh, is doing valuable work, not only in the instruction and training of young men to be useful on the farm and in the shop and elsewhere, but also in the information it imparts to farmers in the different branches of their calling. One of the interesting features of its methods is the school of instruction established a year or so ago, in which information is given by lectures and otherwise on milk, butter and beef, something in which every farmer in the State should be interested, in reference to which we clip the following from the Raleigh *Post:*

For the benefit of farmers and farm boys a winter school of agriculture and dairying will be conducted in the A. and M. College in this city, beginning January 2d and ending March 10th, 1903. The instruction will be practical and up-to-date. It will include such subjects only as are of practical interest and economic value on the farm. Any wide awake farmer will be greatly aided by this school.

No entrance examinations are required. Tuition is free. Total expenses for room, board, fuel, lights, etc., the full session of ten weeks, only $30.

Subjects Taught—Butter making, stock breeding and feeding, the culture and improvement of soils, the culture of crops and their rotation, diseases of cattle, diseases of plants, beef and dairy farming.

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Those wishing full particulars can obtain the same by writing to Prof. Charles W. Burkett, West Raleigh, N. C. He will mail a full descriptive pamphlet to any address.

This department last winter had thirty students, among them a man 70 years old. This year the prospects are good for an attendance of one hundred or more. Among the early applicants is a man 50 years old and his son 25 years old.

There is some as good butter made in North Carolina as is made anywhere, but it is the exception, and is made by but few of those who put butter on the market, and yet good butter sells at from 30 to 40 cents a pound, while the ordinary, common stuff finds slow sale at any price. It is, therefore, evidently to the interest of the butter maker, who expects to reap a profit from it, to make good butter.

Beef is high. Good beef commands a good price, while poor beef sells for little, and is not in demand at all. It may be some more trouble to raise good cattle, which require some care, than it is the scrawny stock that are left to shift for themselves, but it is evidently to the interest of the farmer, who expects to make a profit out of his beef, to raise good beef.

This State is capable of producing not only all the butter and beef needed for home consumption, but considerable to sell outside; but it doesn't do it, simply because the effort has not been made, nor the attention given to these matters that should be given to them.

Commenting upon the removal of Collector Bingham in Alabama for his activity in the "lily white" movement, the Philadelphia *Press* remarks that there is "no color line in Republicanism." What rot. Who ever heard of a negro being nominated for or appointed to any office of honor or emolument in any of the Republican States in the North?

New York papers say there were 70,000 registered Republican voters in that State who did not vote at the late election. What a pity there wasn't about 20,000 more of the same kind.

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GOING FOR PRITCHARD'S SCALP.

Senator Pritchard didn't see the end of his troubles when he was unhorsed at the last election and saw that Senatorial seat for which he had been fighting so hard go glimmering. He not only loses that, but is in imminent danger of losing his grip on the party machine. The anti-Pritchard faction have already begun to make war on him, and a demand has been made that the party disband, which means simply that Pritchard get out of the way and give some of the other fellows who have been kept back from the public crib a chance to come to the front and do some reorganizing.

Coincident with this demand comes the report from Washington that the President has gone back on Pritchard, who is no longer in favor, because he is held responsible for the calamity that overtook his party at the last election, while he was reporting splendid progress and that the outlook for a grand Republican victory was in every way encouraging, a pretence that he kept up till the day of election.

Of course the opposing faction, who have become tired of the Pritchard close corporation way of doing business, will use this against him, and make all they can out of the blundering that swapped off forty or fifty thousand negro votes with the delusive idea that he would get in return as many or more votes of Democrats who were hankering to "vote as they pleased" and that they would vote for his candidates. When it comes to explaining the disastrous pan out of his scheming he may find it about as difficult as he did to persuade the voters of this State that they owed all their prosperity to the Dingley tariff.

Now that he is down, it will be interesting to note how the other fellows will go for Jeter's scalp.

There is a movement on foot in Atlanta for the establishment in that city of a permanent exhibit of the products of home industry, something that we have several times suggested should be done in some of the centrally located cities of this State. It would pay.

Some men can't stand excitement at all, although they can stand any amount of rough-and-tumble. A Maryland man got along all right until he came suddenly in possession of $160,000 when he became excited, toppled over and died.

— Laurinburg *Exchange*: Those who are interested in the tobacco movement were gratified at the success of the meeting held in Field's Hall on Saturday. The meeting was composed of some of the very best farmers in Scotland county and a number of the foremost business men of Laurinburg. There were enough farmers present to guarantee that 175 acres would be planted in tobacco. This is not enough to justify a warehouse, but it will be little trouble to get the promise of 125 more, making 300 in all, which will be sufficient to guarantee the warehouse.

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Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Clarkton *Express*: A private letter from Fireway, Columbus county, tells us that Mr. M. L. Gore, of that place, recently dug 100 bushels of potatoes from a quarter of an acre land.

— Tarboro *Southern*: Clerk Pennington believes that with rare exceptions every white man who registered, did so under the grandfather clause and will therefore be placed upon the permanent roll.

— Kinston *Free Press*: Kinston has sold a big lot of the golden weed this season and will undoubtedly exceed the estimate of 15,000,000 pounds made by the *Free Press* at the beginning of the season, as over 13,000,000 pounds have been sold already.

— Goldsboro *Headlight*: The farmers say that the cotton crop is very nearly all picked, and it is generally agreed that the crop has been larger than was expected at the beginning of the fall. In fact, taken altogether this has been an unusual good crop year. The late fall has allowed all the late crops to perfectly mature.

— Rockingham *Anglo-Saxon*: Officer W. A. Graham brought a negro to Rockingham jail Monday night who is charged with a very heinous crime. His name is Green McDonald, and he was committed without privilege of bail by S. W. Bostic, Esq., on a charge of attempt at criminal assault upon the person of Mrs. Cole, who lives near the Montgomery county line. The particulars of the revolting crime, as we heard them, are that the negro had dragged his victim to the wood, and was only prevented in the accomplishment of his fiendish purpose by the timely arrival of a neighbor on the scene.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: News has reached the city of the death of Mr. Geo. W. Sugg, at his home, near Snow Hill, Tuesday afternoon. He was one of the leading citizens of Greene county. —— The young man Jones Bass, who was accidentally shot by his brother some weeks ago, while the latter was playing with a pistol one Sunday, is now thought to be in a critical condition. Jones was shot by his brother Louis, while both were up stairs in their room. Louis thought he had taken all of the balls from the weapon and turned it from him to try the trigger. Instead of the light click which he expected, the loud report of the pistol followed and his younger brother screamed. The ball entered his shoulder and lodged near the spinal column, from where it was extracted. The wound at that time, which was on the 28th of September, was not thought to be serious, but instead of getting well, as was expected, the young man has gradually grown worse until his life has been jeopardized.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— The New South Wales wheat crop is short 11,000,000 bushels this year. It is evident that New South Wales needs a Republican party over there if it ever expects to do much in raising wheat.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— The accounts of successful cotton planting on the west coast of Africa, refer to the trouble of making laborers of the natives. It would be a strange freak of fate if a roaring trade should spring up in the exporting of negroes from the southern states to work the cotton fields of Africa.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

——Vice Governor Wright is making a strenuous effort to leave the impression that the peace proclamation of last July was the panacea for trouble in the Philippines, yet we are hearing of the proposition to suspend the writ of habeas corpus in one of the provinces out there just at the present time.—*Norfolk Ledger, Dem.*

—— Some of the monopoly organs of the East are still perturbed lest enough attention will not be given by the arbitrators to the sacred rights of the coal trust magnates. The changes are still being rung on the excesses committed by a small minority of the strikers, in the columns of the subsidized concerns; but the community must look elsewhere than to these strenuous friends of law and order, for proper comment on the lawlessness of the rich and powerful. Enough of such journalism as that would surely enough bring the "man on horseback" and the end of liberty.—*Chattanooga Times, Ind.*

TWINKLINGS.

— When Shakespeare asked what was in a name he did not know that the whole alphabet may be in it if it belongs to the crown prince of Siam.

— His Mother—Get up, Tommy. You know the early bird catches the worm. Tommy—Well, I ain't going fishing to-day.—*Detroit Free Press.*

— Judge—He has often declared that the lot of the poor is to be envied and that poverty is often a blessing. Fudge—What! Is he as rich as all that?—*Baltimore Herald.*

— She—None of your "love in a cottage" for me. I want a brownstone house in a fashionable neighborhood. He—And I suppose you want it in your own name, too.—*Brooklyn Life.*

— Passer-by—Whoy, wherever be gwoin' Jarge, thhis toime o' day? Jarge—Oh, we'm a-goin' into town to zee this 'ere comet as they tells about! —*Punch.*

— "John, what is 'boodle?'" "Well, my dear, if you want a candid opinion, it is the money of the other party when they have enough of it to lick us."—*Washington Star.*

— Aunt—"Arthur, how does it happen that Willie Jones is promoted at school so much oftener than you other boys are?" Arthur—"Huh! His father's a promoter!"—*Chicago News.*

— Molly—"I was so mad at the party last night! Kate Greene had on a dress exactly like mine." Polly—"Yes, but how it must have disgusted her to see you with a dress like hers! That ought to make you happy. I should think."—*Boston Transcript.*

— "Ah!" said the caller, "I notice that you smoke good cigars." "Yes, occasionally," replied Graphter. "Then you will be interested in what I have to show you. I am selling a line of Havana cig——" "Pardon me. Your first observation was correct. I do smoke good cigars, but I don't buy them."—*Philadelphia Press.*

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, November 13.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 49c bid per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for strained and $1.30 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.25; crude turpentine steady at $1.10@2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	62
Rosin	700
Tar	172
Crude turpentine	70

Receipts same day last year—19 casks spirits turpentine, 569 barrels rosin, 142 barrels tar, 50 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 7¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5⅜	cts. ℔ lb
Good ordinary	6¾	" "
Low middling	7¼	" "
Middling	7¾	" "
Good middling	8 9-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅝c for middling.

Receipts—2,243 bales; same day last year, 2,735.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 80c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish (new), 65@67½c.

CORN—Firm, 70@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Money on call was firm at 4½@5 per cent.; market closing, bid and asked, at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange quoted easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487 for demand and 483.75@@483.875 for sixty days. Posted rates were 485@488. Commercial bills 483.25@484. Bar silver 49⅜. Mexican dollars quoted at 39¼. Government bonds weak. State bonds—no report. Railroad bonds strong. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 108¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108¼; U. S. 3's, registered, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new registered, 136; do. coupon, 136; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110¼; do. coupon, 110¼; U. S. 5's, registered, 104; do. coupon. 104; Southern Railway, 5's, 118¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 101. Chesapeake & Ohio 45¼; Manhattan L 134⅝; New York Central 150; Reading 56½; do. 1st preferred 84¾; do. 2nd preferred 71½; St. Paul 176¼; do. pref'd, 192; Southern Railway 33; do. pref'd 91⅞; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 55⅜; People's Gas 101⅝; Sugar 114; Tennessee Coal and Iron 57¼; U. S. Leather 12½; do. pref'd, 89; Western Union 88⅜; U. S. Steel 37; do. pref'd 84¾; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 63¾; do. preferred, 124; Standard Oil, 677@678.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 26⅜; do. preferred, 44¾; bonds, fours, 84¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 13.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 13.—Spirits turpentine closed firm at 50½c; receipts 1,037 casks; sales 668 casks; exports 283 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,087 barrels; sales 1,924 barrels; exports 700 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $1 40, D, $1 40, E, $1 45; F, $1 50; G, $1 60; H, $1 80; I, $2 05; K $2 55; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The cotton market opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of four points and subsequently showed considerable irregularity, at one time prices being one to two points above the closing level of the previous day on a few positions; at another time showing a net loss of three to nine points and closing steady at net unchanged prices to a decline of six points. The weakness was most marked in the more remote positions. There was no net change in November, while the final decline in December was only two points. It was hinted that the January longs have been absorbing December cotton to the extent that they had liquidated January as a preparation for a bull movement in December instead of in January, on the ground that present prices in the South offer no profit in shipping cotton here for delivery on November and December contracts, while the transfer of long interest from January to December gives the bull interest a start of one month ahead of the January movement. Trading was today very active. Throughout the session the market showed a firm undertone with strong houses buying largely on the relative stability of the Southern spot markets and in view of the fact that the movement of cotton was not at all in keeping with the large crop claims recently made by houses with European or buying connections. The improved condition of Wall street affairs in leading to some investment demand is cotton. On the other hand, weather reports from the cotton belt are generally pretty good and this phase of the situation checks the demand for cotton somewhat. Trade in cotton goods is fairly active.

NEW YORK, Nov 13.—Cotton quiet at 9 30c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 759 bales; stock 65,529 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and five points higher; middling uplands 8.35; middling gulf 8.60c; sales 46 bales.

Futures market closed steady; November 8.02, December 8.05, January 8.05, February 7.92, March 7.96, April 7.97, May 7.99, June 8.01, July 8.01, August 7.89.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 49,740 bales; exports to Great Britain 517 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 541 bales; stock 816,164 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 274,795 bales; exports to Great Britain 88,028 bales; exports to France 12,599 bales; exports to the Continent 47,957 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,863,723 bales; exports to Great Britain 806,578 bales; exports to France 214,468 bales; exports to the Continent 867,563 bales

Nov. 13.—Galveston, firm at 7 13-16c, net receipts 12,746 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 1,466 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7⅞c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8.35, net receipts 56 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 2,243 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 8.60c, net receipts 290 bales; Savannah, steady at 7 9-16c, net receipts 14,045 bales; New Orleans, steady at 7 11-16, net receipts 17,163 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7 9 16c, net receipts 1,606 bales; Memphis, steady at 7 9-16c, net receipts 5,644 bales; Augusta, quiet at 7¾c, net receipts 1,426 bales; Charleston, quiet at 7 9-16c, net receipts 366 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Flour was more active and firmer. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 77c. Options—In face of a very small speculative trade wheat exhibited considerable firmness all day. Its influences were strength in corn, higher Paris markets, wet weather West and better export inquiry, the close being ⅛@¼c net higher. Sales included: May closed 78¾c; December closed 78⅛c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 65c. Options—Continued strength in December was the corn feature to-day. It sold up 1⅝c a bushel on excited covering due to very light receipts and extended a bullish influence over the entire market. The close was from ½@2c net higher: Sales were: January closed 51⅛c; February closed 50¼c; May closed 46¾c; November closed 65c; December closed 57¾c. Oats—Spot quiet No. 2, 34½c. Options were fairly active and steady and the corn strength; December closed 35⅝c. Lard steadier; Western steam $10 80@10 90; refined steady; continent $11 20; South American $11 75, compound 7½@7¾. Tallow weak. Pork steady. Rice firm. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5⅛c; mild quiet; Cordova 7¾@12c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test 3 11-16; refined dull. Potatoes steady; Long Island $2 00@2 30; South Jersey sweets $1 75@2 75; Jerseys $1 75@2 05; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75@2 00. Butter firm; extra creamery 26c; State dairy 18@24½c. Cheese quoted quiet but firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy old 12¾c; new 12⅜c; small white old 12¾c, new 12½c. Peanuts—Market quiet; fancy hand-picked 5@5½; other domestic 3½@5¼. Cabbages quiet; Long Island per 100 $1 50@1 75. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam, 12c. Eggs strong; State and Pennsylvania average best 28@28½c. Cotton seed oil was with lard products, but quiet again. The closing quotations were: Prime crude here nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 27@28c; prime summer yellow 34¼; off summer yellow 33; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime meal $27 00@28 00, nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Trade in wheat on the Board of Trade to day was dull. Strength in corn and covering by shorts caused a firm tone late in the session and December closed ⅛c higher. December corn closed 1⅜c higher and oats ⅛c higher. January provisions closed from 5c lower to a shade higher.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Cash prices: Flour quiet and easy. Wheat—No. 2 spring 72@73c; No. 3 spring 64@65c; No. 2 red 71¼@72c. Corn—No. 2 54c; No. 2 yellow 53⅝c. Oats—No. 2 28¼c; No. 2 white 35½c; No. 3 white 29@33½c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 87½@17 00. Lard, per 100 lbs., $10 50@10 55. Short rib sides, loose, $10 10@10 30. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 50@9 67½. Short clear sides, boxed, $10 00@10 25. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November—, December 72⅛, 72¼, 71⅞, 72¼c; May 74⅜@74½, 74¼@74⅞, 74¼, 74⅝@74¾c. Corn—No. 2 November 53½, 54, 53¼, 53⅜c; December 51¾@51⅞, 52½, 51⅝, 52½c; May 41¼@41⅜, 41⅞, 41¼, 41⅛c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 29⅛, 29⅜, 29½, 29⅝@29¼c; May 30⅞, 31⅛, 30⅝, 31c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 17½, 15 20, 15 07½, 15 10; May $14 87½, 14 40, 14 35, 14 37½. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 30, 10 30, 10 25, 10 25; December $9 47½, 9 52½, 9 45, 9 52½; January $9 10, 9 12½, 9 05, 9 07½; May $8 50, 8 50, 8 45, 850. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $7 97½, 7 97½, 7 90, 7 90; May $7 65, 7 65, 7 60, 7 62½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 13.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand, prices two points higher; American middling fair 4.90d; good middling 4.56d; middling 4.48d; low middling 4.38d; good ordinary 4.26d; ordinary 4.14d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 9,300 bales American. Receipts 15,000 bales, including 1,800 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed quiet; American middling (g o c) November 4.35d; November and December 4.31d; December and January 4.29@4.30d; January and February 4.28@4.29d; February and March 4.28@4.29d; March and April 4.20d; April and May 4.29d; May and June 4.29d; June and July 4.29d; July and August 4.29d.

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FOREIGN.

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Lobelia, (Br) 1,913 tons, Watson, Heide & Co.

Wandby, (Br) 2,580 tons, Finney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

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Leonard Parker, (Br) 286 tons, Hogan, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Josephine, 303 tons, Ayres, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Edward Stewart, 353 tons, Winslow, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Britania, (Br) 263 tons, Nickerson, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Damietta & Joanna, 273 tons, Yort, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—402 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 82 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—258 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,482 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 7 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 35 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—25 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 200 barrels rosin, 80 barrels tar.

Steamer E. A. Hawes—4 bales cotton, 300 barrels rosin, 43 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Whitlock—5 casks spirits 27 barrels rosin.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—2 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 27 barrels rosin.

Schooner Minnie Ward—12 barrels tar.

Schooner Leah—8 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels rosin.

Steamer Black River—1 barrel tar, 22 barrels crude turpentine.

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It is necessary to secure a cheerful, wholesome atmosphere for the dyspeptic. He should eat his meals at a table where there is good fellowship and where funny stories are told. He should himself make a great effort to contribute his share of this at the table, even if it be necessary, as it was in one case under my care, for him to solemnly and seriously collect funny paragraphs from the press, and at first interject them spasmodically during lulls in the conversation at the table. The very efforts and determination of the man to correct his own silent habits at table, to correct his feelings of discouragement and worry, were in themselves a promise of success. The effort made was adequate to the obstacles to be overcome. He succeeded, and the spectacle of that man trying to be funny at table when he felt thoroughly discouraged and blue is one we shall never forget.

Laughing is in itself also a useful exercise from the standpoint of digestion. It stirs up all the abdominal organs, it increases the circulation of the blood, it increases peristalsis, it increases the secretion of gastric juices. Five minutes' deliberate laughing after each meal would be an excellent prescription for some people.—Family Doctor.

THE BIRTH OF JAPAN.

Curious Legend of the Creation Handed Down by the Japanese.

The following is the curious legend of the creation as it is told in Japan: Clouds formed the bridge on which once god Yzanaghi and his spouse Yzanauma stood pondering on the riddle of existence, whether the beginnings of worlds and the beginnings of life lay slumbering in that sea of chaos. Yzanaghi, apparently more enterprising than philosophically inclined, seized his shimmering spear and plunged it into the black and seething flood. Pulling it up again, he discovered seven salt drops on its diamond point, which, dropping, condensed and formed the island of Cusokorosima.

Thereupon Yzanaghi and his spouse selected the spot of earth which had thus been created as their permanent dwelling place and peopled it with innumerable genii of animal and plant life and spirits of the elements. And around this "palace of immortality" rose eight other islands—Awadsi, the island of foam; the mountainous Cho, Yamato, blessed with fruit; Yyo, unsurpassed in its beauty; the quinquangular Tsikousi, Sado, rich in copper and gold; Yki, one of the pillars of heaven, and Oko, surrounded by three satellites.

Such was the birth of Japan, of that curious land of Fusiyama, with its amiable population of artist artisans, its graceful teahouses, its glistening silks, its grotesque dwarf trees, its white cranes and dreamy lotus ponds. —Harper's Magazine.

Hoist With His Own Petard.

A Philadelphia clergyman told a story of a young man who took his best girl to church and when the time for "collection" came round rather ostentatiously displayed a five dollar goldpiece. Presuming upon the engagement to marry that had been made by her, the young woman placed a restraining hand upon the arm of her fiance. "Why, don't be so extravagant, George!" she exclaimed.

"Oh, that's nothing," he replied. "I always give $5 when I go to a strange church."

Just then the deacon came with the plate, and George dropped a coin. Everything seemed favorable, and the young man beamed with a sense of generosity. Then the minister made the announcements for the week and concluded with the wholly unexpected announcement of the day's collection.

"The collection today," said he, "was $3.75."

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Breathe Through Your Nose.

In all kinds of atmosphere the breath should only be inhaled through the nose. An occasional breath of extra pure air through the mouth may be good, but in cars and in most offices and rooms nose breathing is essential. A second rule is, since so much time is spent in cars and offices and rooms in earning a livelihood and since these places are overheated and underventilated—the heating and ventilation being out of the control of most of us—we must take in fresh air whenever possible in order that we may restore the balance. The best times to do this will be early in the morning, when the air is freshest, and late at night, when deep breathing will help us to get sleep. We may breathe correctly while we are waiting in a street and especially where streets meet. We can soon form an automatic habit of breathing properly on such occasions.

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"They're a gly, tangiesome lot here."

"I beg your pardon," said the lady.

"I'm sayin' they're a gey daidlin' lot here."

"I really beg your pardon, sir."

"I'm observin' they are a vera dreich lot here the nicht."

"Really I must again beg your pardon. I don't comprehend you."

"I was just tryin' to say that the train was late."

"Indeed, sir, it is—very late," agreed the lady and then collapsed.—London Tit-Bits.

A Small Legal Fee.

The smallest fee ever taken by an English counsel was sixpence, that fee having on one occasion been taken by the late Sir John Holker. Barristers' fees were in olden times much less than those now paid. An entry occurs in the churchwardens' accounts of St. Margaret's, Westminster, for 1476, showing that a fee of 3s. 8d., with fourpence for his dinner, was paid to Robert Fypott, counsel, learned in the law, for his advice.

In Nare's "Glossary" a barrister's fee was stated to be an angel, or 10 shillings. These are somewhat different figures from the 600 guineas paid to Sir Charles Russell a number of years ago at the Leeds assizes for less than three hours' work, or at the rate of over 3 guineas a minute.—London Tit-Bits.

In the Art Gallery.

"Ah," exclaimed Mrs. Oldcastle, who was again enjoying the splendors of her new neighbors' art gallery, "a Corot, I see!"

"Where?" asked her hostess, looking doubtfully at the canvas which seemed to claim the other's attention.

"There," answered Mrs. Oldcastle, pointing with her lorgnette.

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A curious custom prevails in Korea. If a man meets his wife in the street, he ignores her presence and passes her as if she were a stranger.

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Insects and plants utilize this fact in many interesting ways. Some water plants whose leaves float on the water have a very simple contrivance to keep the upper surfaces of the leaves dry. This consists of a great number of minute hairs covering the tops of the leaves. Water cannot penetrate among these hairs even when the leaves are forced down beneath the surface.

The little rafts of eggs that gnats set afloat on the water are kept from sinking and from being upset through this same principle. The tiny eggs have their points all upward, and they are glued together so closely that, while there is open space all around the point of each egg, yet the width of these spaces is so slight that water cannot readily pass through. You may again and again upset such an egg raft, but it will right itself every time, and the upper surface will remain dry.



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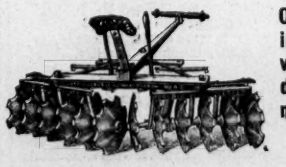
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TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:20 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.15 a m
Ar Chester	1.30 a m	10.22 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.18 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.49 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth		
Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.35 a m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.35 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.35 a m	11.35 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 8.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.28 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

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The Good and the Bad.

One ought to balance the good with the bad and also the length of time a man has lived to form a true estimate of his character. Polybius, the Greek historian, has an observation to the same effect. "There is no reason," says he, "why we should not sometimes blame and sometimes commend the same person, for, as none is always right, neither is it probable that he should be always wrong."

Out of His Class.

Mrs. Jones—Just think of it! That fellow came in and actually stole the clock right off the mantelpiece.

Mrs. Brown—And your dog was in the very same room!

Mrs. Jones—Yes, but that didn't count. Fido is only a watchdog, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Sorry She Spoke.

"Thank you, my little man," said Miss Passay to the nice little boy who had given up his seat in the car. "And have you been taught to always give your seat to ladies?"

"No'm," replied the bright boy; "only to old ladies."—Philadelphia Press.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. — No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.20 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.40 P M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 P. M. — No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 6.40 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.50 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.35 A. M., Philadelphia 4.06 A. M., New York 7.12 A. M., *Boston 5.35 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M — No. 69—Due Jacksonville 4.12 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 5.45 P. M. — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M., Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.28 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.06 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.56 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M., Weldon 1.50 A. M., *Norfolk 1.00 P. M., Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson.

DAILY 7.30 P M — No. 59—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M — No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 29	Kinston	10 19	9 20
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 27	7 27
7 05	7 07	Morehead City	7 25	7 07
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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FRIDAY MORNING, November 14.

THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

New Officers Elected and Installed—Five Minute Talks—Convention Adjourned Sine Die.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 13.—The American Bankers' Association was slow in assembling to-day. After prayer by Rev. M. F. Alexander, the call of States for five minute talks was resumed. California invited the convention to meet in San Francisco, and Washington invited the convention to meet in Seattle.

The nominating committee, composed of delegates from different States, submitted the following nominations:

For President—Caldwell L. Hardy, president of the Norfolk National Bank of Norfolk, Va.

First Vice President—Frank G. Bigelow, president of the First National Rank, Milwaukee, Wis.

For the Executive Council—John Skelton Williams, president of the Richmond Trust and Safe Deposit Company, Richmond, Va.; W. T. Fenton, cashier of the First National Bank of the Republic, Chicago; D. Sloan, president of the Lonaconing Savings Bank, Lonaconing, Md.; Arthur Reynolds, president of Des Moines National Bank, Des Moines, Iowa, and James T. Hayden, president of the Whitney National Bank, New Orleans.

Vice presidents representing each State in the convention were also nominated.

The new officers were installed and George H. Russell, of Detroit, Mich., on behalf of the association, presented retiring President Herrick with a beautiful silver punch bowl.

The convention adjourned at 1 P.M. sine die.

The new executive council met after the adjournment of the convention and elected the following: Chairman, E. F. Swinney, of Kansas City; Treasurer, George F. Orde, of Chicago; Secretary, R. Branch; Assistant Secretary, W. G. Fitzwilson.

Joseph G. Brown, of Raleigh, N.C., was elected to fill the vacancy on the council caused by the promotion of Mr. Bigelow to first vice president.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Sharp Advances at the Opening Followed By a Steady Decline in Prices Which Continued Until the Close.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—Quite violent advances at the opening of to-day's Stock Market, which were somewhat extended by a rally from a subsequent reaction, entirely melted away before the close, which was weak, and net losses reaching a point, for some of the leading speculative stocks. After the heavy declines of the last two days reassuring reports this morning as to the adjustment of the trouble affecting some speculative accounts and an absence of pressure in the money market the refusal of the market to stay up was something of a surprise. After so considerable of a reaction involving the creation as a matter of course of a large short interest a rally is to be expected, if only from the call causes. It was the short interest which caused the opening spurt. The development of a growing demand to borrow stocks in the loan crowd last night revealed the growth of the short interest, and this morning's report of large transfers of certain stocks at private sale, which served to relieve over-extended long interests, caused a fear amongst shorts that they were becoming over-extended. The high level of prices at the opening proved inviting to the traders who have bought at the declines. It became evident also that the substantial buying which was a feature yesterday was lost to the market at the higher range of prices. For the rest of the day, in consequence, there was a crumbling process, which ended at the last with quite a sharp break.

A LYNCHING IN TENNESSEE.

Negro Hanged for the Murder of a Farmer By a Mob of 500 Men in the Court House Yard at Lewisburg.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LEWISBURG, TENN., Nov. 13.—John Davis, a negro, was hanged in the court house yard to-day by a mob of 500 men for the murder of Robert Adair, a farmer living near this city. Adair's body was found in a terribly mutilated condition in a field near his home here at an early hour to-day. He had started out in pursuit of a thief who was stealing his corn, and when his body was discovered the stock and barrel of a small rifle and knife covered with blood were found near him. The knife was identified as the property of John Davis, colored. The sheriff organized a posse and went to the house of Davis and found a pile of bloody clothes, but the murderer had fled. He was caught, however, about half a mile from town, but not until he had been twice wounded. He was brought back and the sheriff and Rev. John Royal Harris made an appeal to the people to allow the law to take its course.

BRITISH COTTON SPINNERS

Will Spend Money Promoting the Growing of Cotton in Jamaica.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The efforts of the members of the Lancashire Cotton Growers' Association to emancipate themselves from the American raw supply have extended to Jamaica. The association has voted a large sum of money to be devoted to cotton growing in that island on an extensive scale. It is expected that a large area in Jamaica will be planted with cotton next season.

A Runaway Bicycle.

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FOUR KILLED AND FORTY INJURED.

Boiler Explosion In An Iron Works Plant at Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

INJURIES OF MANY FATAL.

Some Had Their Eyes Burned Out—Others Their Hands Torn Off By the Death Dealing Debris—Weeping Women and Children.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

LEBANON, PA., Nov. 13.—The explosion of a large boiler in scrap puddle furnace No. 3 at the west works of the American Iron and Steel Manufacturing Company's plant, late this afternoon, caused the death of four workmen, and about forty others were more or less seriously injured. The dead are: Jacob Bricker, aged 67 years, of Sunnyside, a laborer, leaves a wife and six children; Walter Turner, of this city, a puddler, leaves a wife and one child; James Hissinger, of this city, a puddler, leaves a wife and four children; Jacob Nine, died on the way to the hospital.

The calamity is the worst that ever occurred in Lebanon. The boiler exploded without warning, and in an instant the entire place was black with death dealing debris. The wreck and ruin of the nine puddle furnaces was complete.

Thousands of persons were attracted to the scene; weeping women and children crowded about the place, making frantic efforts to obtain tidings of their loved ones. The excitement was so intense, however, that considerable time elapsed before any information could be given them. Physicians were called from every quarter of the city and the hospital ambulances and other vehicles were hurried into service. The offices of the works were at once converted into a hospital and a corps of nurses from the Good Samaritan hospital were brought to the place. Intothis temporary hospital the maimed and scalded workmen were carried and given attention. Some had their eyes burned out, others their hands off. It is impossible to learn the names of the injured. Mony of them, it is believed, cannot live through the night. Women and children thronged the entrance to the works, crying and begging to be allowed inside.

It is feared the list of dead will be materially increased when the ruins of the nine wrecked puddle furnaces are explored. The exploded boiler was hurled high into the air and passed over the offices, burying itself in the south bank of Quittapahilla creek, several hundred yards away. No information could be secured at the temporary hospital at the works. The plant has been closed, as the workmen are removing the debris.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY

Annual Convention in New Orleans—Reports Read Showing Progress of the Society in Different States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 13.—The second day's session of the ninth annual convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy opened this morning. Greetings were received from junior organizations of Georgia, Tennessee, Virginia and Kentucky. A number of reports were read, showing the progress made by the society in the different States. Mrs. Cooley, of Florida, said that although the State had a population more than half of which was Northern, it contained one of the largest chapters of the general body and had lately raised a $35,000 shaft over the Florida soldiers killed in battle and buried in Winchester, Va.

Mrs. J. M. Arnold, of Kentucky, said that through efforts of the division in that State, the play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" had been prohibited and "Marching Through Georgia" silenced in the city schools.

Mrs. John Hickman, of Evansville, Ind., said the chapter there was engaged in building a monument to the Confederate dead.

Miss Mary M. Minee, of Maryland, said that the chapter in that State helped to support a soldiers' home and helped to erect a monument shortly to be unveiled in honor of the veterans.

Mrs. Helen D. Bell said the special work of the chapters in Mississippi was to establish a Confederate home at Beauvoir, the old home of President Davis.

Mrs. James Henry Parker, of New York, said her chapter was composed of Southern women, living in that State, and was engaged in memorial work.

The announcement from Georgia that $6,000 for the Winnie Davis memorial had been raised through the Daughters was greeted with applause. Mrs. Robert Meade reported for the grand division of Virginia; Mrs. M. Sherry for West Virginia; Mrs. W. C. N. Merchant and Mrs. Connor for South Carolina.

A very cordial greeting was given Miss Laura Dugan, who bore greetings from the chapter in Los Angeles, Cal.

BUSINESS BLOCK BURNED.

Fire at Olyphant, Pa.—Losses Estimated at Over $175,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SCRANTON, PA., Nov. 13.—The town of Olyphant, six miles north of Scranton, was swept by flames to-day and an entire block in the business portion was in ruins at 1 P. M., when the fire was gotten under control, after two hours destructive progress. The blaze was caused by the explosion of a gas tank in the cellar of Atherton's department store, and in a short time it appeared as if the entire town would be wiped out. Building after building went down in ashes in a remarkably short time. The city hall and jail were among the buildings destroyed. The loss is estimated at between $175,000 and $200,000.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

Will Command the Fleets Engaged in the Caribbean Sea Manoeuvres.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, November 13.—Admiral Dewey, who will have supreme command of the combined fleets engaged in the Caribbean sea manoeuvres next month, will hoist his four-starred flag on the President's yacht Mayflower at the Washington navy yard, December 1st, and will sail the same day with his large personal staff direct for the naval base at Culebra Island.

All the vessels which are to participate are under orders to assemble at their respective rendezvous not later than the 5th proximo, and Admiral Dewey will assume active command immediately upon his arrival.

CONVENTION OF THE FEDERATION OF LABOR

In Session at New Orleans With Four Hundred Delegates in Attendance President Gompers' Address.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 13.—The twenty-second annual convention of the American Federation of Labor met here to-day with about four hundred delegates present.

The visiting delegates were escorted from the St. Charles mansion, the official headquarters, by the members of the local trades and labor assembly, headed by Robert E. Lee, president of the local organization, and by James Lefard, the federation organizer of the State of Louisiana.

When the convention had been called to order Mr. Lee delivered an address of the laboring men of New Orleans, to which Mr. Gompers responded. After touching upon the scope and bearing of the labor union movement, President Gompers declared that it was amazing to note the ignorance among so-called educated people regarding the aims and objects of the organization.

"No man who as an educator," said President Gompers, "poses as a strike-breaker, is fit for the position he holds. Compared to such a man, Benedict Arnold was a martyr and Judas Iscariot a saint."

Although no name was mentioned, it was understood by the delegates that réference was made to the head of one of the leading educational institutions of the country, and they applauded with vehemence. Cheers were again called forth when it was declared that the man who acted the role of a strike-breaker was looking backward toward barbarism and not toward the future.

The report of the committee on credentials declared that sixty-nine national organizations, nine State organizations, fifty-five central bodies, fifty four local and federal bodies and four hundred fraternal delegates had reported and were entitled to representation. The total voting strength of the bodies represented by the delegates was about ten thousand.

A protest against the seating of the delegates of the Amalgamated Association of Carpenters was made by the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners. Upon motion, the contest was referred back to the committee for further action, and its other recommendations were adopted.

James Duncan moved that a special committee be appointed, to which all disputes between the branches of the building trades should be referred; this committee to report direct to the convention. This motion, which removed much of the work incidental to the dispute between the carpenters from the floor of the convention, was adopted.

RESCUED OFF HATTERAS.

Crew of the Wrecked Schooner S. B. Marts Saved By the Schooner Arthur McArdle on Monday Last.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 13.—The crew of the schooner S. B. Marts, Captain Holloway, arrived to-night on the schooner Arthur McArdle, Captain Sheppard, which rescued them off Caps Hatteras, where the Marts went to pieces. The entire crew for thirty-six hours before their rescue were lashed to the after-cabin of their dismantled vessel, without food or water and at the mercy of the sea and winds.

The Marts left Savannah November 3rd with a cargo of lumber for Baltimore. The vessel proceeded uninterruptedly until she reached Cape Hatteras. Last Saturday morning at 8 o'clock she sprung a leak. The vessel made water so fast that she could not be saved. At 4 o'clock Saturday the sea carried away the deck load and took away all sails. About 7 o'clock she struck Hatteras outer shoals; her masts went, and soon the vessel began going to pieces. Captain Holloway and the crew sought safety on the after-house, the highest place they could get, and there lashed themselves. For thirty-six hours they were without food or water.

The schooner McArdle was sighted and signalled at 12 o'clock on Monday. Captain Sheppard sent boats to the shipwrecked crew and they were landed aboard his vessel.

WOMAN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Rescued From the Brink of Niagara Falls By An Employe of State Reservation.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Helen Costello, of Buffalo, was rescued from the brink of the American Falls to-day by an employe of the State reservation. This afternoon word was received at the reservation office that a woman had attempted to commit suicide and was floating down stream toward the falls. Superintendent Perry secured a quantity of rope and hurried to the bridge which connects Green Island with Goat Island. The woman was seen clinging to a submerged log at a point a few feet below the bridge. A noose was fitted about the body of John Marshall, a reservation employe, and he was lowered into the rushing waters. He succeeded in reaching the woman's side and placed a rope around her waist. The two were then slowly hauled to the stone abutment of the bridge. A ladder was lowered and the woman was landed safely. Mrs. Costello is very weak from exposure, but the hospital physicians say she will recover. Domestic troubles caused the woman to seek death.

LONG AND SHORT HAUL.

Interstate Commerce Commission Heard Complaints Against Mobile & Ohio.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The "long and short haul" case of the Aberdeen group of commercial associations, embracing a number of Mississippi towns, against the Mobile and Ohio railroad, was aired before the Interstate Commerce Commission to-day. The association, represented by "Private" John Allen, complained that the railroad imposed higher freight rates to Aberdeen, Tupelo, West Point, Starkville and other places, from Northern and Eastern points, than to the city of Aberdeen, the longer distant point. The case also involves allegations of unreasonable rates for the short distance. The railroad, represented by Attorneys Williams and Russell, contended that the larger tariff for the shorter distances was justified by the competitive conditions.

Deputy Coroner Glazebrook, of Washington, D. C., performed an autopsy on the body of Miss Louise Hoge, of Evanston, Ill., who had been under treatment of a Christian scientist for several weeks for typhoid fever, and who died Wednesday. The result of the autopsy was a decision that Miss Hoge died of pneumonia.

ROOSEVELT AT HIS HUNTING GROUND.

Everything In Readiness for a Battle With Bears in the Mississippi Swamp.

PRESIDENT'S HUNTING OUTFIT

His Cartridge Belt Has a Hunting Knife Attached—Fringed Buckskin Suit. Members of the Party—The Hounds—The Guides, Etc.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SMEDES, MISS., Nov. 13.—The President and his party arrived here at 3:45 and started immediately for the camp, about fifteen miles distant.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 13.—The presidential train arrived here over the Illinois Central at 9:30 this morning. The train was about fifteen minutes late. For some distance this morning it was run at a speed of seventy miles an hour to make up for lost time. The President was anxious to reach the hunting camp this afternoon early enough to get into the woods this evening, and the schedule of the train was hastened to meet his desire.

The President has with him the hunting outfit used by him for many years in his hunting trips after big game in the neighborhood of his ranch on the Little Missouri in Dakota, and in the mountains of Idaho, Montana and Colorado. It includes a fringed buckskin suit, such as was worn by the old wilderness hunters, and his favorite Winchester, 40-90. With this weapon he has killed many of his hunting trophies. It bears the interesting scars of one of his battles with a cougar or mountain lion in Colorado. In closing with a wounded cat the President thrust the stock into his mouth. It shows the teeth-marks of the enraged animal and the place where a small piece was literally bitten away.

His cartridge belt has a hunting knife attached. Most of the bullets are soft-nosed, but a few of them are steel-jacketed for penetrating power in case the President should get a chance for a long shot. While thus prepared for wilderness conditions, it is not probable that the President will don his buckskin suit unless he finds that such conditions prevail.

On the journey down here the President has spent a considerable portion of his time reading, one of the books in which he is particularly interested being "The Nomadic Life," by M. Jusser, the new French Ambassador who is to succeed M. Cambon. It is a history of the troubadour and crusaders of the Middle Ages, and the President is reading it in the original French.

Members of the Party.

CLARKSDALE, MISS., Nov. 13.—President Roosevelt was joined at Memphis by the members of the hunting party, President Stuyvesant Nash, of the Illinois Central; General Counsel Dickinson, of the same road, and John M. Parker, of New Orleans, John McElhenny, formerly lieutenant in the Rough Riders, Major G. M. Helm, W. W. Magum and H. L. Foote. The latter three are Mississippi planters and well known bear hunters in this country. Mr. Foote is considered one of the best shots in the State. Parker has had charge of the preparation for the hunt, and the President appears to be greatly pleased with the arrangements. The camp is located fifteen miles east of Smedes, on the banks of the Little Sunflower river, in a practically unbroken wilderness. There are no settlers for miles in any direction. The oak, ash and cypress forest is choked with an undergrowth of vine and as thick, Mr. Parker said, as the hair on a dog's back. A trail has been cut, and camp and horses have been provided for the members of the party. The camp itself consists of three sleeping tents and one cook tent.

The Pack of Hounds.

Hoke Collier, a negro who was a scout in the Confederate army during the civil war and who afterward acted as guide for General Wade Hampton, has charge of the pack of hounds which has been at the camp for a week. Among them is the most celebrated bear dog in this country. He is the property of Mr. Foote. This is his last hunt, Mr. Parker told the President, as he is old and decrepit, though he has one more hunt in him, and when he opens his mouth it means bear.

Collier, Mr. Parker said, was credited with having been in at the death of sixteen hundred bears. He is said to have killed nearly 150 in a single season.

"It will be rough work," said Mr. Parker.

"That is exactly what I want," replied President Roosevelt.

"But we will have bear meat for Sunday dinner," added Mr. Parker.

"Let us get the bear before we arrange for the dinner," responded the President, laughing heartily.

President's Guide.

Mr. Mangun and Hoke Collier are to act as the President's guides. A heavily wooded ridge beyond the little river, where there is a chance for panther as well as bear, is to be tried first. Later the hounds will be loosed in the canebrakes in the swamps on this side of the river. Mr. Parker seems absolutely certain that the President will get a bear.

"When we strike the trail," said he, "we will follow it until we get what made it."

"That is the kind of talk I like to hear," replied the President.

A Deer Drive.

Secretary Cortelyou and Dr. Lung will probably not go out after bear, but Mr. Parker promises them a little less arduous sport in the form of a deer drive. He says there are also plenty of deer in the woods.

The President and the members of the party donned their hunting clothes aboard the train in order to be ready for the horseback ride to the camp immediately upon arriving at Smedes.

An expedient has been adopted to keep the curious away from the camp. The country for miles around its location is owned by the Illinois Central road, but of course there would be no legal way of preventing the invasion of on-lookers. It would be, however, practically impossible for any one to reach camp on foot and arrangements have been made to prevent any one from obtaining a horse or a mule at Smedes without a permit. In this way the managers of the hunt believe that privacy has been assured.

A TERRIBLE ERUPTION.

Many Houses On the Island of Stromboli Destroyed By a Volcanic Outburst.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROME, November 13.—The volcano on Stromboli Island (off the north coast of Sicily) has commenced a terrible eruption. A colossal column of fire is still rising and incandescent stones are being emitted from the craters. Many houses on the island have been destroyed.

STRIKE ARBITRATORS READY TO BEGIN.

Representatives of the Contending Parties in the Anthracite Coal Question Also On the Ground

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SCRANTON, PA., Nov. 13.—All the members of the anthracite strike commission are now here and in readiness to begin the hearing of the differences existing between the miners and their employers. The sessions of the commission will begin to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Lackawanna county court house. The commissioners will use the room occupied by the State Superior Court, which is admirably adapted to the purpose. Two sessions will be held each day.

Most of the representatives of the contending parties are also on the ground. Each side will have an array of attorneys and it is expected that at least two weeks will be taken up in hearing the witnesses on each side. President Mitchell, representing the miners, will probably open the proceedings with a formal statement in which he will present the case of the miners to the commission. Following this formal presentation of the miners' side of the issue it is expected Mr. Mitchell will call witnesses who will be examined by his attorneys, by those representing the coal companies, and also by the commissioners. Most of the witnesses will be practical miners and they will give testimony in support of the demands formally laid before the commission in Mr. Mitchell's preliminary statement of last week. About twenty-five or thirty miners will take the witness stand.

Attorney C. S Darrow and Henry D. Lloyd, both of Chicago, will make addresses on behalf of the miners later in the proceedings after which the operators will make their defence.

It is the intention of the commission to adhere as closely to ordinary court procedure in pursuing its investigation as it possibly can. It will, however, not unnecessarily restrict either side in presenting evidence, it being the desire of the commissioners that both sides shall be thoroughly satisfied with the presentation of its own case. In the evidence to be given to the commission will be great masses of statistics, which are being prepared by hundreds of clerks of the companies. The miners will hand up bundles of due bills, issued to them by the companies which show accurately the money paid to the men.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Annual Meeting of Archbishops—Cardinal Gibbons—The University.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, in the presence of a large audience of visitors, students and professors of the Catholic University and surrounding colleges, broke ground on the site of the new apostolic mission house on the grounds of the University leased to the missionary union to-day. The ceremony is expected to be far reaching in its influence on the work of the Catholic Church in this country.

Cardinal Gibbons presided at the annual meeting of the archbishops of the Catholic Church of the United States at the Catholic University to-day. Among the specific matters discussed were the interests of the Catholic Indian missions in the United States and questions pertaining to the American college at Rome.

GEN. NATHANIEL GREENE.

Reinterment of Remains to Take Place in Savannah To-Day.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 13.—The reinterment of the bones of General Nathaniel Greene, of Revolutionary fame, will occur to-morrow, under the auspices of the Association of Patriotic Societies of this city. A prominent place in the exercises will be occupied by the Daughters of the American Revolution, the national society of which is now in annual conference in this city. Distinguished visitors arrived during the day, including Governor Charles D. Kimball, of Rhode Island, the members of the special committee appointed from the Rhode Island Legislature, and Colonel Asa Bird Gardiner.

FOOTBALL AT ATLANTA.

Davidson Won From the Georgia Techs By a Score of 7 to 6.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., November 13.—Davidson College team won from the Georgia Techs here this afternoon by a score of 7 to 6. The Techs made a touch-down in the first half on a double pass and a forty yard run by Brinson. In the second half Davidson made two points on a safety and Johnston clinched the game with a goal from field, kicked from the Techs' 15-yard line. McLeod, Davidson's full back, was the star of the game.

CLAIMS SELF-DEFENCE.

John Southern Shot and Killed By H. B. McCullough at Fayetteville, Tenn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROGERSVILLE JUNCTION, TENN., Nov. 13.—John Southern was shot and killed to day by H. B. McCullough, a deputy sheriff. McCullough is in charge of the long-distance telephone at Rogersville Junction and Southern went to McCullough's store to use the telephone. The men became involved in a dispute as to the toll due for the telephone service and the shooting followed. McCullough claims the shooting was in self-defence.

WARM WIRELETS.

In an attempt to lower the trotting record for one mile at Montgomery, Ala., Cresceus, the champion, driven by George H. Ketcham, went the distance in 2:07, breaking the record for the Riverside Park track.

The Merrimac Manufacturing Company will begin work dirtctly on its new $1,165,000 cloth mill, to be erected at Hamilton, Ala. The present plant of the company represents an expenditure of half a million dollars.

The sitting yesterday of the lower house of the Austrian Reicharath was suspended on account of the German and Czech members coming to blows. The cause of the trouble was a debate on the advisability of the use of the two languages in the names of stations on the Bohemian railroads.

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MOUNTAIN FIRES

Raging Around Covington, Va., But No Alarm is Felt.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 13.—A Covington, Va., special says that although the mountain fires around Covington are still raging, no alarm is felt, even by those living nearest the flames. This section for many miles is enveloped in smoke, showing the extent and nearness of the flames. All stock kept in the mountains has been taken to points of safety. There is some little danger to residences in the mountains, but on the whole there is no great anxiety.

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Feels that he owes many words of thanks to his customers for the large and liberal patronage during this week's Carnival.

He also wishes to thank the carnival committee for their part in bringing to town and entertaining such a large and pleasant crowd. Our week trade has broken all records.

Our sales have been larger than any previous week in the history of our business.

While our goods have been going out all over the country in larger quantities we have also been receiving goods in larger amounts.

In our millinery department we have received to-day a big shipment of new Hats in all the leading up to-date shapes. Scratch Felts, French Felts and Beaver Hats from 50c. to $3.00 each We have also received a big lot of nice Hats we are selling for 25c. each.

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A line of fine cheap Wings from 5c. to 25c. a pair.

A nice line of new Capes received to-day from $1.50 to $5.00 each.

Also a big line of new Cloaks for ladies, misses, and children.

Long Raglan cloaks $6.00 up. $12.00 each

Our Clothing Department has been a strong drawing card for the past week. Our sales in Men's and Boys' Suits has been extra good, and we have received to day a large shipment of Suits and new Overcoats, which we are selling: Men's Suits at $4.25; strictly all wool, good suits at $5; some pretty nobby worsted suits at $7.50 to $10. Our Tailor-made Suits, equal in fit, quality as good and trimming better, are $12.50 to $20 a suit. We have worsted suits for men as low as $1.98. Flannel suits as low as $2.75. A nice full line of Boys' Suit at $1 to $5 a suit.

In Dress Goods we have received to-day some beautiful Broadcloths, 54 inches wide, different shades, at 98c per yard. Also received to-day some elegant Serges, have been sponged and shrunk, regular 75c goods—we are running at 50c. A beautiful piece of Shepherd Plaid at 50c per yard. Our stock of Venetians, in all colors, are the very best values, and we sell them for 45c and 50c. A nice line of new Tricots, in all the leading shades, at 25c per yard.

Blankets and Quilts—In Blankets our stock represents the output of a dozen mills, and our prices range from 48c to $5 a pair. Our ten-quarter Rose Wool Blankets are $3.30; the same blankets sold last season at $4. Eleven quarter Blankets are $4. We have a few pair of very fine eleven-quarter blankets we are selling for $3.25 per pair; one case light gray blankets, weight 5 lbs., half wool, for $1 per pair; one case seconds in gray and white at 48c per pair.

The weather is turning cold and you need quilts and comforts; we have them for 50c, 88c, $1, $1.25 up to $3.50 each, White and colored spreads from 75c to $2.50 each. Cotton Bats six for 25c: five gross milk weed witch hazel soap, elegant quality, medicated soap at 10c per box of three cakes; 6 6 oz cakes white cloud floating soap for 25c.

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